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treatment of the subjects. Professor Huffcut, in his *Elements of Business Law*, makes such a contribution. The characteristic feature of his book is the presentation of a large number of examples and problems based upon cases decided by the courts. After clearly and concisely stating the fundamental principles of a topic, the author gives a number of examples showing the application of the principles to business transactions. The problems at the end of each chapter are designed to arouse interest, and develop intelligent reasoning and thinking. The book contains a number of judiciously selected legal forms. It would be improved by citations of the authorities for the cases presented.

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Family Monographs. By ELSA G. HERZFELD. With a Preface by ELSIE CLEWS PARSONS. New York: James Kempster Co., 1905. 8vo, pp. 150.

These monographs furnish a detailed history of twenty-four families living in the middle West Side of New York City, by a settlement worker who is, at the same time, a trained sociological student. As Dr. Parsons explains in her preface, Miss Herzfeld's investigation is an application of La Play's monograph method to the study of the family, and it is encouraging to find a social worker making of the results of her experiences a really useful collection of social data, instead of a vaguely general or sentimental description of tenement-house life. It should be added that the book is one that the general reader will enjoy; for interest has not been sacrificed to scientific colorless, and humor and pathos are alike to be found here.

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